Water Conservation in the Home



- Don't Use the Toilet as an Ashtray or Wastebasket
- Put Plastic Bottles or a Float Booster in Your Toilet Tank
- Buy an Adjustable Toilet Flapper
- Install Low or Dual Flush Models



- Fit Household Faucets with Aerators
- Turn Off the Water After You Wet Your Toothbrush
- Rinse Your Razor in the Sink
- Minimize Use of Kitchen Sink Garbage Disposal Units
- Opt for the Dishwasher Over Hand Washing
- When Washing Dishes by Hand, Don't Leave the Water Running for Rinsing
- Don't Let the Faucet Run While You Clean Vegetables
- Keep a Bottle of Drinking Water in the Fridge



- Use Clothes Washer for Only Full Loads
- Consider a High Efficiency Washing Machine



- Take Shorter Showers
- Install Water-Saving Showerheads, Shower Timers, and Low-Flow Faucet Aerators



- Check Faucets and Pipes for Leaks
- Check Your Toilets for Leaks
- Use Your Water Meter to Check for Hidden Water Leaks

Other Ways You Can Save Water

- Insulate Your Water Pipes
- Recycle Your Water Where You Can
- Eat Less Water-Intensive Foods
- Don't Run the Hose While Washing Your Car
- Use a Broom, Not a Hose, to Clean Driveways and Sidewalks
- Plant Drought-resistant Lawns, Shrubs and Plants
- Water During the Early Parts of the Day; Avoid Watering When It Is Windy

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